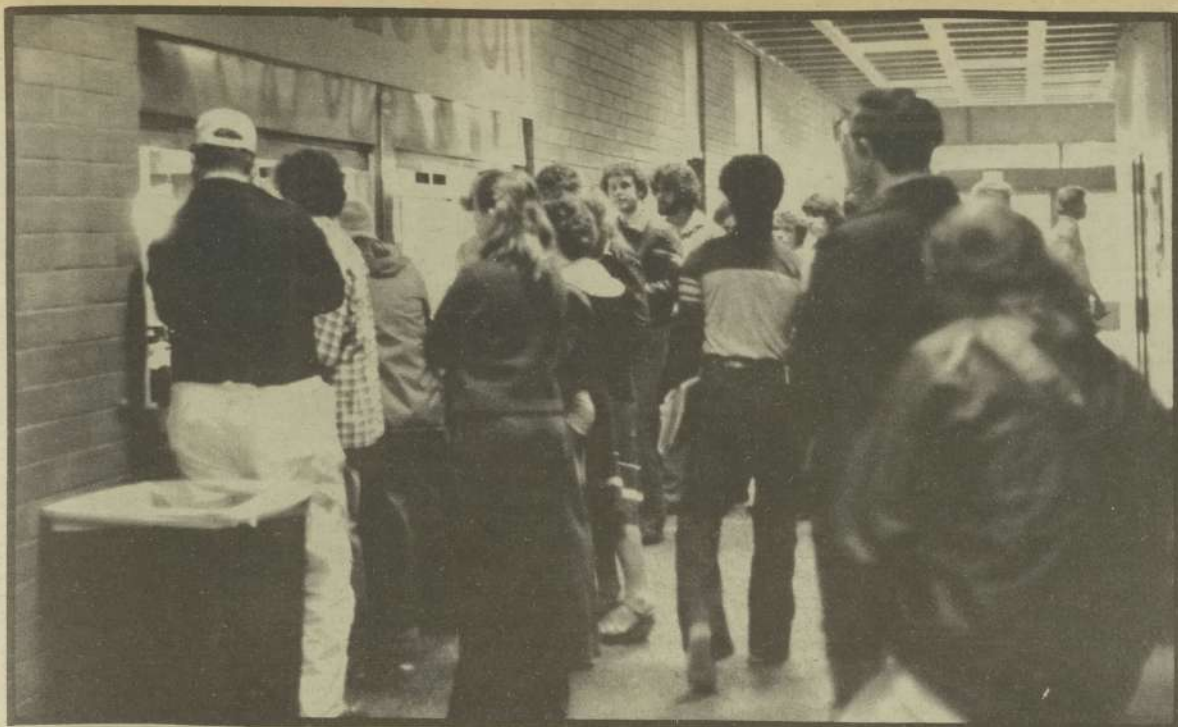


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New cafeteria?



Staff photo by Ramona Isackson

Is this going to be our new cafeteria? Only for two weeks as the old cafeteria is undergoing a facelift. Enlarged, the cafeteria will have two serving lines rather than one. One will be a hot food line, while the other will be a cold food line.

Food is also being served over in the small dining area in what used to be the no-smoking section of the cafeteria. The dining area is open from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. One cook commented, "Thank God it's only for two weeks."

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Macrame, ceramics, yarn works, toys, baked goods and much more will be featured at the Fifth Annual Clackamas

Community College Crafts Fair, Dec. 5 from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. in the Community Center.

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Faculty assume role of student advisers

By request of the counseling department, students will now have to turn to their teachers for special advising. This advising includes which courses to take for specific majors, and which of these courses are transferable.

Its official title is faculty advising, and every college in the state has this except Clackamas and Lane Community College. This is according to Arthur Hames, the Director of Counseling. "Students are assigned to their department major (Theatre, business, agriculture, etc.) and that specific department's faculty will work with the students," Hames said.

According to Hames, the faculty will cover the specifics of advising. This covers specific course information. "There is a dimension in advising that the counselor just can't handle," Hames said. "Teachers know what your quality of work is and the difficulty of courses that you might have to take at, say the University of Oregon. This allows the student to get more opportunity to find out the contents of a class," he said.

What will the counselors do with the extra time they now have? "We will spend more time dealing with students," Hames said. Right now, only seven counselors are taking care of over 4,000 students. "We have less than four minutes a year per full-time student," Hames said. "The counselors can answer questions more fully. Many students, after they have transferred to a different col-

lege, complain of us not telling them enough. 'Why didn't you tell me this and that!' they would say."

The concept of faculty advising is not a new one. A memo on the subject was first passed around the ranks in 1971. "We couldn't get enough support from the faculty back then," Hames said. "When we had only a few hundred students to advise, it was no problem. However, seven counselors can't advise 4,000 students," he said.

Students who have specific majors are going to their department teachers for advising. Students who don't have a specific major (General Studies) will go to the counselors for advising until they decide on a major. One teacher suggested that it is the student's responsibility to get specific information from the school they wish to attend.

A conflict has risen, however. Not all the teachers are happy with the new fact in their jobs. Tom Richards, the chairman for the English department, said, "Not that I disagree with faculty advising, it's just that it's like getting a new job without any added compensation for the added work."

"Current teaching loads are hard enough. It's going to be a real burden to give the students the best advise possible. Richards said, "Nothing has been sent over from the counseling to help me."

Art Hames said, "We can advise what they need. We have catalogs to any college."

Not all the teachers are angered over this incident. "We have been advising students since the beginning," said Carol Evans, the depart-

ment chairperson for ABE, GED, ASE. "We handle our own students here," she said.

Jennie Mahall, of the drama department, said of herself and

Kermit Shaffer, "We're both very happy about it."

I love advising the students," she contends.

Police add surprise To birthday party

By R.W. Greene

A well-organized and heavily attended party at the Oregon City Army last Saturday turned out to be an enjoyable affair, according to several students who attended, in spite of an early shutdown by Oregon City Police.

Chief of Police Richard Martin, who was on duty that night and at the scene, said the department dispatched officers to the scene after receiving complaints from residents of loud noise and rowdiness. At one point 15 officers were at the scene, said Martin, "but fortunately we didn't have to do anything." The organizers of the party were requested to shut down at midnight and did so, said Martin.

Leaflets for the event had been floating around the College for two weeks, advertising "Michele's Birthday Par-

ty," beer, and a rock band, The Edge of Max, all for the price of \$2 in advance or \$2.50 at the door. According to Tom Simmons, the organizer of the party, who is also an ASG senator and keyboardist for the Edge of Max, the crowd exceeded his estimates. He had anticipated about 400 to 500 and instead wound up with 1200-1400, he said. He also said he was expecting to break even financially on the event, but instead came out with \$200 profit, after taking in \$2400 and paying expenses of \$2200 for such things as rental of the Army and beer. He explained the reasons for the party were his girlfriend's birthday and a showcase for the band.

According to Chief Martin, no citations were issued, but he mentioned fights in the parking lot, urination on the street and the over-filling of the Army, which is

supposed to be at capacity at 400, but according to his estimates, the number was closer to 600. His main concern was the alcohol consumption by minors, and this is why he stopped the party, he said.

"You get all those kids together, and there's not going to be a whole lot of order."

He said Simmons was cooperative when he asked that the party be stopped.

Simmons denies any knowledge of fights. When he was in the parking lot, he saw none, he said.

"We were just there to have a good time," he says.

According to a couple of students who were at the party, it was a success. The band was great, they said. One said he counted 14 kegs of beer at one point.

"Sure was a lotta drunk kids, though," he observed.

